UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

MICHAEL KEVIN DUPONT,)	
Petitioner,)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 04-11431-GAO
DAVID NOLAN,)	
Respondent.)	
)	

MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER OR RESPONSIVE PLEADINGS TO PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

The respondent, David Nolan, through counsel, respectfully moves this Court to enlarge the time in which to file an answer or other responsive pleading to the above-captioned petition for writ of habeas corpus to August 11, 2004.

As grounds therefor, the respondent's attorney states:

- 1. Rule 5 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts requires the respondent to answer each allegation of the complaint and state whether the petitioner has exhausted state remedies including post-conviction actions. The Rule also requires that the respondent indicate what transcripts or parts of state court proceedings are available.
- 2. To this end, the respondent's attorney has requested the record of the petitioner's state court proceedings from the Middlesex County District Attorney's office. The district attorney's office is locating the files, which will speak to whether the petitioner has exhausted his state court remedies for the claims he now asserts.

WHEREFOR, the respondent respectfully moves this Court to enlarge the time for filing

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an answer or other responsive pleading in the above-captioned petition to August 11, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. REILLY ATTORNEY GENERAL

/s Susanne G. Reardon Susanne G. Reardon Assistant Attorney General Criminal Bureau One Ashburton Place Boston, Massachusetts 02108 (617) 727-2200 ext. 2832 BBO No. 561669

Dated: July 16, 2004

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the above document was served upon petitioner at the address below on July 16, 2004, by depositing the copy in the office depository for collection and delivery by first-class mail, postage pre-paid, to him as follows:

Michael Kevin Dupont, pro se P.O. Box 100 South Walpole, MA 02071

> /s Susanne G. Reardon Susanne G. Reardon **Assistant Attorney General**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

TORAINO PRIDGEN,)	
Petitioner,)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 03-12332-RWZ
LUIS SPENCER,)	
Respondent.))	

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Please enter the appearance of the undersigned as counsel for the respondent in the aboveentitled matter.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS F. REILLY ATTORNEY GENERAL

January 27, 2004

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Anthony Anastas, Clerk United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts One Courthouse Way Suite 2300 Boston, MA 02210

RE: <u>Pridgen v. Spencer</u>

Civil Action No. 03-12332-RWZ

Dear Mr. Anastas:

Enclosed please find for filing in the above-captioned matter the Respondent's Motion to Enlarge the Time for Filing an Answer, a Notice of Appearance and Certificate of Service.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Susanne G. Reardon Assistant Attorney General Criminal Bureau

Enclosures

cc: Karen Morth, Esq.